

ABSTRACT

The present invention provides drugs containing chymase inhibitors as active ingredients for improving glucose intolerance or preventing and/or treating diseases caused by glucose intolerance. The diseases caused by glucose intolerance are diabetes and/or diabetes complications, wherein the diabetes complications include diabetic nephropathy, diabetic retinopathy, diabetic peripheral neuropathy, hyperinsulinism, insulin resistance syndrome, arteriosclerosis, acute coronary syndrome, arteriosclerosis obliterans, angitis, stroke, hypertension, renal insufficiency, nephropathy, nephritis, renal artery aneurysm, renal infarction, obesity and the like.